



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

the application of:

KAMBE et al.

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Examiner: C. Melissa Koslow

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For: ABRASIVE PARTICLES FOR SURFACE POLISHING

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of one (1) month (from January 10, 2004 to February 10, 2004) within which to respond to the Notice of Appeal filed November 10, 2003 is requested. A check in the amount of \$220.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee and brief filing fee. Applicants are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

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